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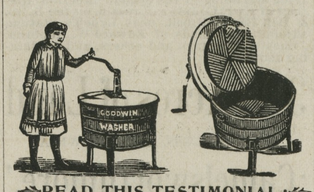

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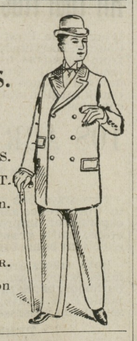

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New Brunswick, N. J., June 19.—Columbus Beekman, a wealthy farmer of Franklin, was swindled out of three thousand dollars yesterday by two bunco sharps. He was approached by a man who said his name was Howe. The two men started to drive to a farm of Beekman's, which Howe said he would purchase. On the way they met a man in a long linen duster. Howe knew him and invited him into the wagon. On some pretext they returned to the house. Howe offered to show Beekman a game. He took a pack of cards out of his pocket. One was marked with a red ball, the others contained pictures of balls and masks as used in a ball game. The cards were dealt, and Howe informed Beekman and the duster man that each had won five dollars. He paid each from a big wad. Then he dealt again, and informed the two that they had won five thousand dollars each. He refused to pay, however, unless Beekman and his companion showed ten thousand dollars to prove they could have paid if they had lost. The duster-clad stranger, who was called Jones, told Beekman he could raise the money with friends, and that Beekman should raise the balance. Beekman accompanied the men to Cranbury and drew three thousand dollars out of the Cranbury Bank, turning it over to the stranger. On the way home Beekman stopped at the house of his brother-in-law, John H. Stubbs. At Stubb's house Jones asked Beekman to remain while he took Howe to the depot. The valise was left in Beekman's care. When it was opened it was found empty. Today Beekman reported his loss to the police authorities, but no trace of the swindlers has been found.

Fresh Air Society.

It is always a pleasure to write about the work of the Children's Fresh Air Society. This beautiful charity has now been in operation in Baltimore City five years and the work is growing marvelously each year. During these five years many neglected "little ones" have been taken from poverty-stricken homes, where vice abounds and where a breath of fresh air is almost unobtainable luxury, and have been transported to the midst of green fields to be ministered to by kind and loving friends. Another year the Fresh Air Society of Baltimore appeal to those living in the country to take these children into their homes for two weeks, where they can have fresh air for their little lungs, good country milk for their hungry little bodies, new ideals of living for their ready little minds to see and perhaps try to imitate and love and kindness to make happy memories in lives that have all too few bright days. The society prefers to send the children in parties of ten to sixty or more. Every expense is paid by the society, the children are provided with suitable clothing and are pronounced free from contagious diseases. No salaries are paid in the Fresh Air work. Further information may be had by addressing the Children's Fresh Air Society, 112 N. Charles St., Baltimoe, Md.

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